Residents Directory

Fort Mason Center houses over fifty resident organizations. These groups can provide you with information on the recording business, dance, broadcasting, theater, river rafting, marine ecosystems, printmaking, copyrights, freelance writing and much more. Drop in at their offices to find out about classes, services, speakers or trips made available to you by these outstanding Bay Area groups.

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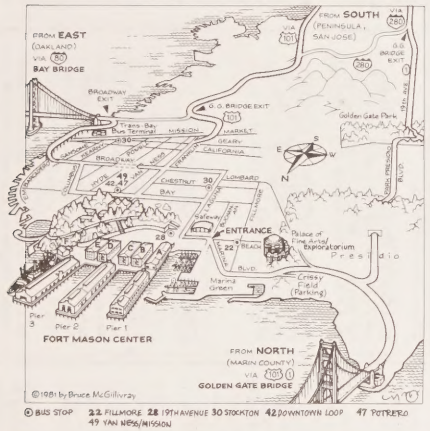

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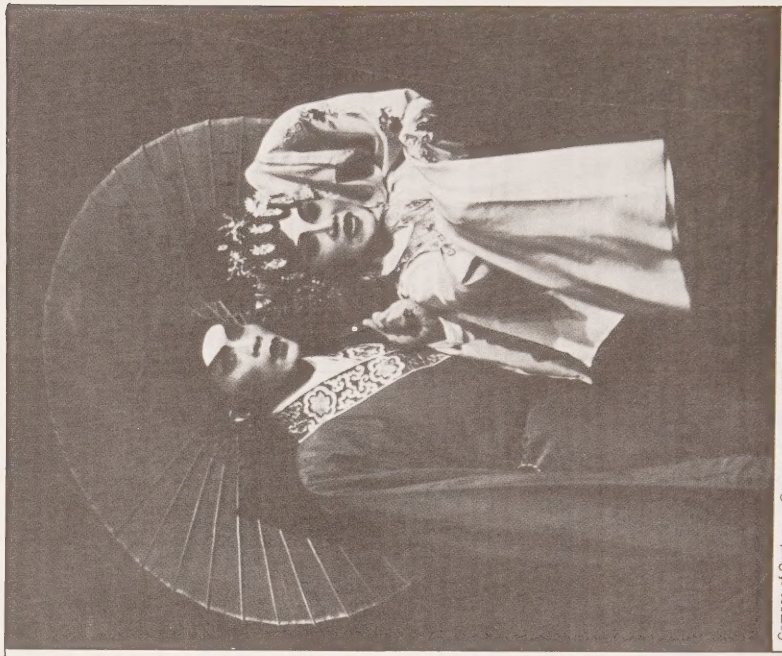

Cameos of Cantonese Opera are presented by Pear Garden in the West on Thursday, May 4 as part of the Asian Arts Alive series (4/29 - 5/6) in Fort Mason's Cowell Theater in Pier 2.

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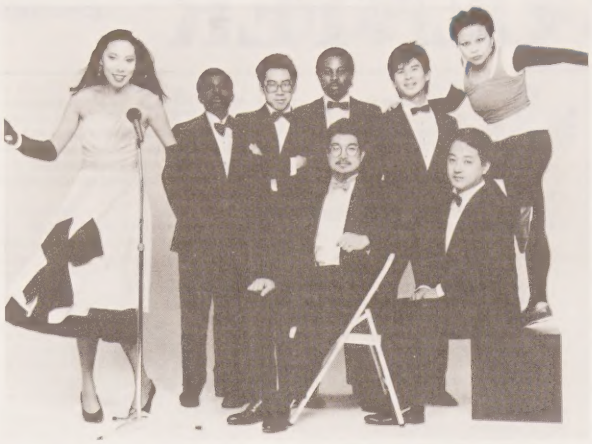
May 1989

FORT MASON'S COWELL THEATER



Jon Jang's Pan Asian Arkestra performs on Friday, May 5, as part of the Asian Arts Alive series in Fort Mason's Cowell Theater.

On April 26, 1989, Fort Mason's Cowell Theater opened with a gala reception. The event was hosted by Danny Glover, star of films and television, and a former instructor in acting classes at Fort Mason, and Rose Guilbault, Director of Public Affairs for KGO-TV in San Francisco. This historic event began a new chapter in Fort Mason's evolution, and consummated seven years of study, planning, fundraising and ultimately construction of one of the Bay Area's most exciting performance spaces.

The Cowell Theater is an excellent case study in how Fort Mason operates, both programmatically and philosophically. We view ourselves as stewards of the remarkable facilities entrusted to us under a twenty-year agreement with the Golden Gate National Recreation Area. We listen to what interested individuals tell us is needed, and when a need is mentioned often, we examine it carefully to see if there is a constructive role Fort Mason Center can play in meeting it. The result in this case is the Cowell Theater.

In 1981, a great need for a 400 to 500 seat performance space was expressed to our staff by members of the Bay Area performance community. These individuals and companies believed that Fort Mason Center would be an ideal location.

After hearing this sentiment repeated a number of times, we sought and received funds to do a study to determine the extent of the need for such a facility, and how it would be used by various performance groups. The study, carried out by Vicky Holt of Stanford University, did indicate there was a need and that dance, theater, concert and film use could be expected.

Recognizing the importance of a long-term agreement with our landlord if we were to raise the funds necessary to create a high-quality performance space at Fort Mason, we began negotiating with the GGNRA. The result was a twenty-year agreement signed in 1984, assuring us and prospective funders that we would be managing Fort Mason into the next century. In 1985, we conducted a feasibility study to determine if funds could be raised for a number of major renovations and construction projects. Among these projects was a 400 to 500 seat theater.

With an encouraging feasibility study, the Fort Mason Foundation Board of Directors launched the At-Fort-Mason Capital Campaign and began seeking funds for major renovations. The first two projects, the Herbst Pavilion (Pier 2) and the Festival Pavilion (Pier 3), commenced in 1987 and were completed in January 1988, at a cost of $2.6 million.

In 1986, the Cowell Foundation agreed to provide a grant for the first $500,000 towards the construction of what would become the Cowell Theater at Fort Mason. With this seed money, David Williams of Robinson Mills and Williams and Leonard Auerbach of S. Leonard Auerbach and Associates began concept work on a multi-purpose performance space to be located in Pier 2. With the concept developed by this team, grants were obtained from the Irvine Foundation, AT&T, the Fleishhacker Foundation, The National Endowment for the Arts, U.S. Leasing International and others. In addition, with funds provided by the Koret Foundation, the San Francisco Conservation Corps became involved in a significant way in the construction of the theater.

In December of 1987, construction began on the Cowell Theater. This followed a process of planning that involved Theater Bay Area, Dance Bay Area, City Celebration, the San Francisco International Film Festival and other representatives of the constituencies that would be using the theater.

The result of all this effort is a truly magnificent performance space in an unparalleled location. Situated at the north end of Pier 2, the expansive lobby of the Cowell Theater has commanding views of the Bay, the Golden Gate Bridge, Alcatraz and the Marin Headlands. When you step into the 440-seat performance hall, you find a fully equipped theater with a 40 by 70-foot sprung stage floor, extensive theatrical lighting, comfortable theater seating, an exceptional sound system, facilities for film, and an overall design that is elegant while taking full advantage of the architectural character of our 75-year-old pier.

What was once a storage area for materials being shipped to the Pacific Theater in World War II and the Korean Conflict is now the site for such diverse productions as "Asian Arts Alive," a festival of Asian dance, music, and theater; the Stanford String Quartet; Magic Theatre's production of *Frankie and Johnny in the Claire de Lune*; the World Drum Festival; new music, world music, ethnic, modern, and classical dance; programs of the San Francisco International Film Festival; and much more.

Our General Manager for the theater, Bob Martin, will encourage productions that reflect the talents and diversity of the Bay Area, both in terms of disciplines and cultures. We are committed to providing the highest level of service possible to the dozens of performance groups that will be using the theater each year. We want the Cowell Theater to provide a showcase for a wide variety of productions, much as Fort Mason has provided a showcase for organizations and events such as the Mexican Museum, Western Public Radio, the Museo ItaloAmericano, the Oceanic Society, Young Performers Theatre, the San Francisco Landscape Garden Show and the Fall Antiques Show. We hope the audience that is attracted to the theater for one particular production will be encouraged to explore others, thus expanding their own horizons as well as the impact of the excellent companies that will be presented there throughout the year.

We are very proud to see the Cowell Theater a reality, and such a beautiful and accessible facility for the Bay Area community. We invite you to watch in our Calendar and other media for the schedule of productions, and to become a regular patron during 1989 and beyond. And we thank all of you who made this marvelous theater possible.

Marc Kasky
Executive Director

Parking Lot Closing

During the full month of May, the entire parking area at Fort Mason Center is closed to vehicular traffic. Please use public transportation if possible, or carpool if you must drive. Shuttle service between Fort Mason and nearby parking areas is available from 10:00am through midnight every day.

Unscheduled commercial deliveries are allowed only from 7am to 11am every day, or after 6pm each evening. Personal deliveries must be hand carried, and passengers must be dropped off at the main gate.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation with the resurfacing project. In June, we shall all be able to enjoy a smoother, safer pedestrian mall with increased parking capacity.

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May 1989

1 MONDAY
Cobra Lounge San Francisco's most dynamic performers host an eclectic spectacle of dancers, musicians & media artists to benefit the SF Arts Democratic Club. 8pm $8 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Cowell Theater Pier 2 381-5622

Man & The Sea Open House Join Jack Williams, author of "Baja Boating Guide," as he presents an evening on the Baja Peninsula. Presented by the Oceanic Society. 7-9pm $2 Firehouse 441-5970

2 TUESDAY
The Takeover see 5/3

3 WEDNESDAY
Book Bay Bookstore features paperbacks two for $1, hardcover books $1.25 each. Sponsored by the Friends of the SF Public Library. 5/3-31 Wed, Fri & Sat 11am-6pm, Thur 11am-8pm FREE adm Bldg C 771-1076

Adult Children Of Alcoholics An independent 12-step program governed by traditions of self-support, autonomy, nonaffiliation & anonymity. The focus is on parental alcoholism's effect on childhood as manifested in dysfunctional adult behaviors. 5/3-31 Wed 7-9pm $1 Gatehouse 931-2262

• **The Takeover** While a takeover battle rages between The Bank of New York & The Irving Trust Co., two of their employees, a man & a woman trying to determine who will dominate who in their relationship, wage a takeover battle of their own. Written by Bill Talen. 5/3-27 (previews 4/26-5/2 $5, premiere 5/3, gala opening 5/4 $25) Wed-Sat 8pm $14-$10 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Life On The Water Bldg B 776-8999

The Future of Black & White Photography see 5/4

4 THURSDAY
Epson Users Of SF Monthly meetings for QX10, QX16, PX8 users. Featuring free flow of ideas, self-help & speakers. 7-10pm $3 Bldg C 681-5382

The Future of Black & White Photography Join photographers Peter Menzel & Karen Judd to discover if color has really eclipsed black & white photography. Sponsored by the American Society of Picture Professionals. 7:30-9:30pm $5 Bldg C 668-5755

Whole Food Formula The Bay Area Sunrider Association offers the opportunity to achieve & experience high-level wellness with time-tested whole food formulas enhanced for modern use. 7:30-9pm FREE Gatehouse (408) 534-1511

• **Asian Arts Alive** Final week features: 5/4 Cantonese Opera Co. performs cameos of "The Jade Bracelet," "At The Rainbow Pass" & "The Drunken Warrior" 8pm $10; 5/5 Jon Jang's Pan-Asian Arkestra performs works by Jon Jang & Fred Houn 8pm $10; 5/6 For Children By Children features Liu Wei Shan's Children's Guzheng Ensemble, Dr. Richard Lin's Chinese Children's Chorus & Shan Yee Poon's Children's Ballet 1pm $3/chdrn under 18 FREE; 5/6 Chinese Folk Dance Assn. celebrates its 30th anniversary with a selection from its rich repertory of the dances of China 8pm $10-$8. Performances sponsored by Pear Garden in the West. FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Cowell Theater Pier 2 PASS 552-3656

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• **The Takeover** see 5/3

• FRIENDS OF THE FORT DISCOUNT

5 FRIDAY
Underwater Photographic Society Monthly meeting w/slides, film or lecture on diving around the world, plus information on slide competition & upcoming dive trips & events. 7:30-10pm FREE Bldg C 769-1442

• **Ninth Annual Poems-Under-The-Influence Celebration** A wine-tasting event with a read-out of classic & modern odes to spring wines. 7:30pm $2 FMC "Friends" 25% off w/mbrs card, Poetry Film Workshop Bldg D 621-3073

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• **The Takeover** see 5/3
• **Asian Arts Alive** see 5/4

6 SATURDAY
West Coast Weekend San Francisco's only live performance radio show, produced by KQED-FM 88.5, broadcasts from Fort Mason. Host Sedge Thomson brings together a diverse selection of guests & music from bluegrass to string quartets, plus news on activities for the weekend & upcoming week. 5/6-27 Sat 11am-1pm FREE Life On The Water Bldg B 553-2213

Exploring Careers In The Visual Arts This day-long conference brings together leading Bay Area art professionals to meet with those interested in entering or making a change in this exciting field. 9am-4pm $30 Bldg A 456-8797

Journey Through Yoga: The Pathless Path Learn about different yogic disciplines, practices & rituals in a one-day workshop with Swami Kaushikroy. 5/6,13 or 27 Sat 10am-5pm $35-$20 (includes yogic lunch) Bldg C 664-9642

Aromatherapy Therapeutic & cosmetic applications of pure plant essential oils for the physical, mental & emotional body. 11am-5pm $50 Bldg C (707) 887-7457

Master/Fine Arts Graduate Exhibition The San Francisco Art Institute presents the Bay Area's largest annual fine arts event, a showcase of the newest directions in painting, sculpture, printmaking, photography, film, video, performance & computer art by 61 graduating MFA students. Works can be purchased. 5/6-21 daily Noon-6pm FREE Pier 3 771-7020

Charlie & The Chocolate Factory Follow Willy Wonka's adventures through his wonderful factory full of smells, noises & special effects. Delicious family entertainment. 5/6-14 Sat 1& 3:30pm; Sun 1pm $6/$4 chdrn Young Performers Theatre Bldg C 346-5550

Manifesting What You Want Acquire the skills of a metaphysician. Learn to meditate, release limiting beliefs & defenses & have what you want. 5/6,20 or 27 Sat 1-3pm $30/class Bldg C 585-0717

Maitri AIDS Hospice Auction & Dance Auction items include 5 nights in the Caribbean, 2 nights in Carmel Valley, dinners & a sailing cruise. Silent auction 7-9:30pm, live auction 9:30pm, dancing & refreshments to follow. A benefit by the Hartford St. Zen Center. $10-$5 Bldg A 457-9033

Young People's Alcoholics Anonymous For young recovering alcoholics of all ages. Open to anyone w/the desire to stop drinking. 5/6-27 Sat 8-9:30pm FREE Bldg C 661-1828

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• **Asian Arts Alive** see 5/4

7 SUNDAY
Stanford String Quartet presents William Bolcom's "Tenth Quartet," Debussy's "Quartet in G minor, Op 10," & Schumann's "Quartet in A Major, Op 41, No. 3." 3pm $15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Cowell Theater Pier 2 332-3062 or 762-BASS

• **Round Robin Readings** Bring your own or your favorite author's poems for a wide-open roundtable reading. 5/7-28 Sun 7:30pm $1 FMC "Friends" 25% off w/mbrs card, Poetry Film Workshop Bldg D 621-3073

Alcoholics Anonymous Ongoing weekly waterfront meeting. Open to the public. 5/7-28 Sun 8-9:15pm FREE Bldg C 661-1828

• **Charlie & The Chocolate Factory** see 5/6
MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6

8 MONDAY
IBM AT/XT Clone Users Group Information sharing & education for PC clone computer users. 6:30-9:30pm $2 Bldg E 861-9321

MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6

9 TUESDAY
Apple Computer Users Group SF Apple Core, a club for Apple users dedicated to education & recreation. 5-7:30pm FREE Bldg C 771-5830

SF Architectural Club A slide presentation by architectural historian Sara Holmes Boutelle on "Julia Morgan, The Designer of San Simeon." 8-10pm $5 Bldg C 441-1098

MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6

10 WEDNESDAY
How To Audition & Take Direction For TV/Film Scenes An ongoing workshop covering on-camera audition techniques, scene rehearsal, & memorized scene blocked & shot. 5/10-31 Wed 7-10pm $20/class Bldg C 221-6911

Bay Area Violin & Bow Makers Concert A special opening night concert with cellists Bonnie Hampton & Mark Summer, violinist David Balakrishna & other musicians to celebrate the SF Craft & Folk Art Museum's May exhibition. 7pm $5 Bldg A 775-0990

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11 THURSDAY
The Wonderful Older Woman A benefit by the Older Women's League honoring older women in the community. Food & entertainment. 6-8pm $30 Bldg A 550-1660

Exploratorium's "Speaking of Music" series presents Astor Piazzolla, the Argentinean master of modern jazz tango. 6pm $6 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Cowell Theater Pier 2 561-0361

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12 FRIDAY
NOW Honors Daughters & Mothers NOW honors Roberta Achtenberg, Barbara Boxer, Catherine Maier, Anna Chavez, Melanie Tervalon & Prima Tobin, six Bay Area women working for social change. 6-8:30pm $25-$22.50 Bldg A 861-8880

US-China People's Friendship Association A monthly educational program providing information on various aspects of life in the People's Republic of China. 7:30-9:30pm FREE Bldg C 863-0537

• **All-African Poetry Evening** Its rich heritage & recent works. 7:30pm $2 FMC "Friends" 25% off w/mbrs card, Poetry Film Workshop Bldg D 621-3073

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13 SATURDAY
Fort Mason Tour Guided walks through this cultural & recreational facility. Over 50 arts, environmental & cultural groups make Fort Mason Center their home. Museums, theaters, galleries, classes & workshops utilize these converted military warehouses. Two May tours: 5/13&27 Sat 11am FREE (call to reserve space) Bldg A 441-5706

Militaria Show Buy, sell or trade medals, insignia, uniforms, books & edged weapons. Exhibits + identifications & evaluations available. 9am-5pm $3 Bldg A 388-7697

Herbs For The Cardiovascular System Learn how to use herbal remedies to treat the problems of the heart & blood vessels. 5/13&14 Sat&Sun Bldgs C/E 10am-5pm $95/wknd (707) 869-0188

Cooking From Your Garden Rosalind Creasy talks about edible landscapes & cooking from your garden. Sponsored by the San Francisco League of Urban Gardeners. 11am-1pm $8 Bldg C 552-5154

Copyright Clinics Artists of all disciplines can consult with a noted copyright attorney about how to complete US copyright forms, work-for-hire arrangements, jointly-held copyrights, renewing & modifying copyrights. 5/13&27 Sat 10am-12:30pm $20-$10 California Lawyers for the Arts Bldg C 775-7200

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Journey Through Yoga see 5/6
• **Charlie & The Chocolate Factory** see 5/6
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14 SUNDAY
Charlie & The Chocolate Factory see 5/6
MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6
• **Round Robin Readings** see 5/7
Alcoholics Anonymous see 5/7
Herbs For The Cardiovascular System see 5/13

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15 MONDAY
The Art of Fiber, Glass & Clay The second of a lecture series sponsored by The San Francisco Craft & Folk Art Museum, this month featuring Marvin Lipofsky discussing his blown glass sculptures. 8pm $6 Firehouse 775-0990

MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6

16 TUESDAY
Macintosh Computer Users Group Information sharing & education for Macintosh computer users. 5-7:30pm FREE Bldg C 771-5830

MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6

17 WEDNESDAY
Speaking In Tongues An exploration into the life of James Joyce's daughter, Lucia, her struggle with madness, sexual frustrations & the ultimate conflict with her father's genius. The first of the Springfest series features a forum/discussion 5/24 after performance. 5/17-28 Wed-Sat 8:30pm Sun 2pm $15-$12 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Magic Theatre Bldg D 441-8822

Commodore 64/128 & Amiga Users Group Monthly computer users meeting. 7-10pm FREE Bldg C 567-9078

Living Your Life Purpose A seminar for exploring the psychic abilities of the conscious & unconscious mind. Presented by Astro-Soul. 8-10pm $10 Bldg C 540-5200

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How To Audition see 5/10

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• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17

19 FRIDAY
You - The Image of Success A workshop designed to give you tools & ideas that support you in becoming more effective & comfortable with your unique attributes. Experience yourself in a new & meaningful way. 5/19 Fri 6:30-9pm 5/20 Sat 8:30am-5pm $195 Bldg A 327-3940

• **Afro-American Poetry: The Home Fires** An evening of jazz, rap poetry & dramatic readings. 7:30pm $2 FMC "Friends" 25% off w/mbrs card, Poetry Film Workshop Bldg D 621-3073

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• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17

20 SATURDAY
SS Jeremiah O'Brien Annual Bay Cruise America's only unaltered Liberty Ship takes her once-a-year cruise, passing under the Golden Gate & Oakland Bridges. Two one-day cruises w/entertainment, food & refreshments. Sat or Sun 5/20 or 21 (memorial service Sat only)10am-3pm $75 Adv. res. a must. Pier 3 Dock 441-3101

Unity Day Around The Bay The Star Alliance convenes an all-day non-factional consortium committed to creating a world peace quality of life media network. Celebrity panel/discussion, videos, awards & entertainment. 5/20&21 Sat 10am-10pm; Sun Noon-5pm $35-$5 Bldg A 441-1122

Psychic Reading Fair Psychic Horizons is conducting a reading fair for anyone who wants a psychic reading or healing. Now is your chance! 1-3pm FREE Bldg C 346-7906

Book Bay Bookstore see 5/3
• **The Takeover** see 5/3
West Coast Weekend see 5/6
MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6
How To Audition see 5/10
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
Young People's AA see 5/6
SS Jeremiah O'Brien see 5/20
Unity Day Around The Bay see 5/20

21 SUNDAY
Life, My Daily Adventure Pinpoint your purpose in life. Experience the enthusiasm of living it. Presented by Astro-Soul. 10am-1pm $23 FMC "Friends" $2 off w/mbrs card, Bldg C 540-5200

MFA Graduate Exhibition see 5/6
• **Round Robin Readings** see 5/7
Alcoholics Anonymous see 5/7
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
SS Jeremiah O'Brien see 5/20
Unity Day Around The Bay see 5/20

22 MONDAY
Bay Area Clipper Special-Interest Group A users group for computer programmers using Nantucket's Clipper language. 7-10pm $5 Bldg C 751-2719

23 TUESDAY
Frankie & Johnny In the Claire De Lune Frankie, good-natured, street wise, impenetrable, & Johnny, an ex-forger & Shakespeare's greatest fan, are drunk with love. A passionate & compelling production about love, trust & sex. 5/23-7/9 (previews 5/17-20 $11, premiere 5/23) Wed-Sat 8:30pm, Sun 2&7:30pm $18-$10 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Cowell Theater Pier 2 441-8822

24 WEDNESDAY
An Evening With The Peace Corps Slide program narrated by returned Peace Corps volunteers on their experience of living & working overseas. 7-9pm FREE Bldg C 974-8754

Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 5/3
Book Bay Bookstore see 5/3
• **The Takeover** see 5/3
How To Audition see 5/10
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
• **Frankie & Johnny** see 5/23

25 THURSDAY
Book Bay Bookstore see 5/3
• **The Takeover** see 5/3
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
• **Frankie & Johnny** see 5/23

26 FRIDAY
Poets For Peace Gathering Poetry that breaks the impasses in the way of peace. 7:30pm $2 FMC "Friends" 25% off w/mbrs card, Poetry Film Workshop Bldg D 621-3073

Book Bay Bookstore see 5/3
• **The Takeover** see 5/3
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
• **Frankie & Johnny** see 5/23

27 SATURDAY
Book Bay Bookstore see 5/3
The Takeover see 5/3
Journey Through Yoga see 5/6
West Coast Weekend see 5/6
Young People's AA see 5/6
Fort Mason Tour see 5/13
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
• **Frankie & Johnny** see 5/23

28 SUNDAY
Computer Show, Sale & Swap If you own or want to purchase a computer, come to this show. Browse through hardware, software & accessories at bargain prices. 8am-5pm $3 Bldg A 931-0423

• **Round Robin Readings** see 5/7
Alcoholics Anonymous see 5/7
• **Speaking In Tongues** see 5/17
• **Frankie & Johnny** see 5/23

31 WEDNESDAY
Paraguay A suspenseful comedy about two modern-day con men, the woman that comes between them & the motel rooms in which their schemes originate. The second of the Springfest series features a forum/discussion 6/7 after the performance. 5/31-6/11 Wed-Sat 8:30pm Sun 2pm $15-$12 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card, Magic Theatre Bldg D 441-8822

Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 5/3
Book Bay Bookstore see 5/3
How To Audition see 5/10
• **Frankie & Johnny** see 5/23

Environment

The Oceanic Society offers classes & lectures Bldg E 441-5970
Man & The Sea see 5/1
Sailing Lessons Beginning, intermediate & advanced sessions (May-October) for adults w/special courses for women.

Classes and Workshops

Martial Arts

Chen's Tai Chi Assoc. Of The USA Sifu Gene Chen teaches the original Tai Chi Chuan complete system. 5/2-30 Tue&Thur 7:30-9:30pm $45/mo Bldg C 661-3786

ICI Tai Chi Chuan w/Sifu Fong Ha. Complete classical forms w/emphasis on meditative aspects. 5/2-30 Tue&Thur 7:30-9:30pm $50-$35/mo Bldg C 524-4718

Master Cheuk Fung The focus of this class is to teach the true spirit of Chinese martial arts w/Buddhist Chi Gung for health, understanding & personal growth. 5/2-30 Tue&Thur 7:30-9:30pm $55/mo Bldg C 658-4621

White Crane Silat Traditional Indonesian system of fitness, dance & self-defense. Training focuses on balance, grace & relaxed power. All levels/ages welcome 5/1-27 Mon&Wed 6-8pm, Sat 10am-Noon $40/mo Bldg C 641-7759

Chinese Martial Arts w/Jack Man Wong. Tai Chi Chuan & Northern Shaolin for robust health, high spirits, rational thinking & self-defense. 5/3-28 Sun 10am-Noon, Wed 5:30-7:30pm $40/mo Bldg C 261-7105

Kung Fu, Tai Chi, Meditation Traditional Kung Fu & Tai Chi for self defense, health, fitness & peace of mind w/Tao & Zen philosophy. Taught by Master H.L. Schauer. 5/1-30 Mon 10:30-11:30 am, Tue&Thur 6-7:30pm, Sat Noon-1pm $40-$35/mo Bldg C 589-6621

Shi Hau White Crane Kung Fu Instruction in the White Crane style of external & internal, hand & weapon forms of self-defense. Diplomas granted. 5/7-28 Sun 1-3pm $50/mo Bldg C 647-5365

The Art Of Tai Chi - Praying Mantis Rational training in weapons, internal exercises, hand forms, capturing techniques & open discussion on martial arts principles. 5/1-29 Mon 7:30-9:30pm $40/mo Bldg C 797-2203

Health & Recreation

Awareness Through Movement/Feldenkrais Method Reduce tension & stiffness w/gentle movement lessons designed to improve coordination, strength, flexibility, posture & breathing. 5/2-30 Tue Noon-1pm $6/class Bldg C 333-6644

Jazzercise Have fun with the #1 dance fitness program while you warm up, work aerobically, strengthen & tone muscles & cool back down. 5/1-31 Mon, Wed & Fri 9-10am $5-$2.80 Bldg C 673-0350

Low Impact Exercise Gentle & challenging, a stretching & conditioning program for people over 40. Seniors especially welcome. 5/1-31 Mon, Wed & Fri 10:15-11:15am; Tue & Thur 10-11am $4-$2 Bldg C 388-5318

Greek Dance Enjoy Bay Area Greek festivals, learn the fundamentals of popular Greek folk dances w/Anna Efstathiou. 5/1-22 Mon 7-10pm $5/class Bldg C 339-8357

Irish Country Dance Lessons For Adults Larry Lynch teaches sets (square dances) & folk dances. No partners necessary. 5/10-31 Wed 7:30-9:30pm $35/8wks Bldg C 863-6424

BeyonDance A spiritual approach to dance that transcends style & technique. Your movement is your dance. 5/5-19 Fri 6:30-7:30pm $10 Bldg C 995-4600

Children's Classes

• **Children's Animation Workshop** All phases of animation: cut-outs, clay models, collage & film strips. Presented by Poetry Film Workshop. Sun Noon-3pm $10/class or $50/6wks FMC "Friends" 25% off w/mbrs card, pre-reg. req Bldg D 621-3073

SF Children's Art Center offers instruction in painting, drawing, printmaking & sculpture. Individual attention to each child's development.

Galleries

SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery presents a sculpture exhibition with works by Bruce Brodie, Ann Hedges, Michael Mew, Robert Murray, Jack Nielson, Rick Putz, John Rae & Vicki Jo Sowell. Tue-Sat 11:30am-5:30pm (reception 5/3 Wed 5:30-7:30pm) FREE adm Bldg A 441-4777

Perception Gallery presents color abstractions drawn from the study of flowers & the natural environment by Suzanne Mensor. 5/1-27 Mon-Sat 9am-5pm (reception 5/2 Tue 5:30-7:30pm) FREE adm Fort Mason Office Lobby Bldg A 441-5706

SF African American Historical & Cultural Society presents a Black Arts Festival, featuring mixed media works of photography, painting & sculpture by more than 20 African American Bay Area artists. 5/10-7/1 (Reception 5/13 Sat 3-6pm $3) Wed-Sun Noon-5pm $3 adm Bldg C 441-0640

Museo ItaloAmericano presents "Chi Erano/ Who Were They?" - photographs by Gino Sbrana of farm workers, laborers, & community gatherings in the Bay Area of the early 20th century. 3/10-5/28 Wed-Sun Noon-5pm FREE adm Bldg C 673-2200

Coffee Gallery Mon, Fri & Sat 9am-3:30pm, Tue-Thur 9am-8:30pm FREE adm Bldg B 776-8247
Contemporary Quilts & Ceramics 4/7-5/18
Combined Works Of Printmakers & Sculptors 5/19-9/1

SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Tue-Sun 11am-5pm, $1 adm (Sat 10am-Noon FREE adm) Bldg A 775-0990
Glass Inventions, Silica Dreams Three Pacific Northwest artists, Robert Carlsin, Susan Plum & Amy Roberts, use glass & other material to create images of myth & ritual. Guest curator Daniel-Harry Steward will give a walk-through on 5/11 at 5:30pm. 5/6-6/25
Bay Area Violin & Bow Makers Several of the world's most highly regarded violin & bow makers exhibit recent works, along with tools, drawings & works in progress. 5/6-6/25 (special demonstrations each Thur, 11am-4pm)

Bay Area Violin & Bow Makers exhibit see SF Craft & Folk Art Museum

Mexican Museum Wed-Sun Noon-5pm, $3/$2 Srs (1st Wed of each month: Noon-8pm, FREE adm) Bldg D 441-0404
Colores: Mexican Folklife & Folklore Imagery An exhibition of paintings & works on paper by Santa Baraza, Carmen Lomas Garza, Miguel Contreras & Miguel Covarrubias. 3/15-5/14
Mascaras: Reflections Of A Culture An exhibition of more than 150 painted wooden Mexican dance masks, part of the traditional costumes associated with the culture's regional dances. 3/15-8/20
Retablos, Ex-votos & Santos An array of colonial religious paintings on tin & canvas as well as carved wooden sculptures called santos or bultos. 3/15-8/20
Works On Paper A contemporary exhibition of painters & printmakers using a wide variety of techniques such as pastel, gouache, etching & lithography. 5/17-8/20

HANDICAPPED. Fort Mason can make arrangements for the handicapped if notified in advance. Ramps & elevators are available. Call 441-5706

Fort Mason offices are open Monday through Saturday, 9am-5pm; closed Monday, 5/29/89.

Education

Introduction To The Ideas Of Gurdjieff A weekly meeting to discuss the practical application of Gurdjieff's ideas in daily life. 5/1-29 Mon 8-10pm FREE Gatehouse (707) 823-8616

CA Institute of Driving Traffic tickets dismissed upon completion of this class. Licensed by DMV & approved by the courts. 5/6-27 Sat 9am-5pm, $22 Bldg C 421-6552

Bicycle Repair & Maintenance Learn the fundamentals of bicycle repair & maintenance. Presented by the Learning Annex. 5/11-25 Thur 6:30-8:45pm $40 Gatehouse 922-9900

Ancient Philosophy & Psychology Informal weekly talks & discussions on the Cabala, Tarot, Buddhism, & Hinduism. 5/4-25 Thur 8-10pm FREE Bldg C 388-7529

Mature Driver Safety Seminar This DMV-approved seminar for drivers 55 & over addresses changes that occur with aging & offers techniques to cope with today's changing traffic conditions. 5/22 Mon or 5/23 Tue 8am-Noon/1-5pm $21 Bldg C (800) 648-8886

Traffic Safety Taught With Humor A wonderfully wild & wacky way of removing violation points off your DMV record. Course taught by professional entertainers. 5/3&4 Wed&Thur 6-10pm, 5/20 Sat or 5/25 Thur 9am-5pm $25/course Bldgs E & C 777-9339

California Lawyers For The Arts Workshops led by CLA panel attorneys. Wed 7-8:30pm $15-$5 Bldg B 775-7200
Negotiating Film & Video Contracts 5/10
Literary Agreements 5/24

Computer Alliance classes & workshops Bldg D 771-7133
Basic Mac 5/3 Wed 6-10pm, or 5/11 Thur or 5/17 Wed 9am-1pm $50
Desktop Publishing with PageMaker, Part I 5/2 Tue or 5/10 Wed 9am-1pm, 5/11 Thur 6-10pm, $75
Desktop Publishing with PageMaker, Part II 5/16 Tue 9am-1pm, 5/18 Thur 6-10pm $75
Producing Your Newsletter On The Mac 5/4 Thur 9am-1pm $75
Introduction To Hypercard 5/8 Mon 6-9pm $56
Hypercard 2 5/15 Mon 6-9pm $56
Hypercard 3 5/22 Mon 6-9pm $56
Intro To Graphics 5/9 Tue 6-10pm $75
Microsoft Word On The Mac 1 5/5 Fri 9am-1pm or 5/10 Wed 6-10pm $75
Microsoft Word On The Mac 2 5/12 Fri 9am-1pm or 5/17 Wed 6-10pm $75
Introduction To Adobe Illustrator 88 5/20 Sat 9am-1pm $75
Excel For The Mac 5/5 & 5/12 Fri 3-5pm or 5/25 Thur 6-10pm $75

Visual Arts & Media

Fort Mason Art Center, a division of the SF Community College District, offers ongoing classes in painting, drawing, sculpture, textiles, printmaking, photography, basketry, jewelry, stained glass & ceramics. Also offered are workshops in handmade paper, Chinese brush painting, pastels, children's art classes & "Business For The Visual Artist." Dim Sum Mini Class 5/2&9 Tue 7-9:30pm $25 Bldg B. For information, call 775-5579

Media Alliance offers classes, workshops & panels. Bldg D 441-2557
Grammar & Style For Writers 5/1,8 & 15 Mon 6:30-9:30pm $60
Proofreading 5/6 Sat 9:30-Noon $35
The Accidental Journalist: The Craft Of Writing News 5/9&16 Tue 6:30-8:30pm $45
Celebrity Interviews 5/13 Sat 10am-3pm $60
Travel Writing For Fun & Profit 5/20 Sat 9:30am-4:30pm $60
Introduction To Grantseeking 5/22 Mon 6:30-8:30pm $20

• **Poetry Film Workshop** offers Word Magic & The Power Of Language, Video Production Workshop, & Basic Film classes. FMC "Friends" 25% off each class w/mbrs card. Pre-reg. req. Bldg D 621-3073.

Performing Arts

Dramatic Writing Workshops A weekly creative workshop providing exercises, individualized guidance & support in building skills in character development & story structure. 5/1-31 Mon & Tue 7-10pm, Wed 1:30-4:30pm $90/4 sessions Bldg C 861-8346